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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: )  
Kevin Liu et al. ) ) Examiner: To be determined  
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 ) Group Art Unit: 1624  
Application Number: 10/552,358 )  
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Filed: October 3, 2005 )  
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For: N-CONTAINING HETERO- )  
AROMATIC COMPOUNDS AS )  
MOUDLATORS OF PPARS AND )  
METHODS OF TREATING METABOLIC )  
DISORDERS )  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir,

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

In response to the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment, attached hereto is revised Preliminary Amendment No. 1 incorporating a complete list of all claims. Please cancel claims 1 through 124 and add claims 125 through 144. Accordingly, claims 125 through 144 are pending upon entry of this Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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